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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(Education)

Part A Manuscript
for December 1904

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Office Note

Mysore Government
General & Revenue Secretariat

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Directions —

No date and purport of receipts to be entered in red and office note in black ink in order of dates —To be written only on one side and inside the line of margin

Branch General

Subject

Letter No 194 dated the 22nd March from Rev D A Rees, Chairman and General Superintendent of Wesleyan Mission in Mysore ask for a definite statement of of the policy of the Mysore Government to Aided Schools

This question it will appear, has arisen out of a recent order of Government No G 4058 60 Dated the 13th Feb 04 sanctioning the conversion of the Aided Girls school at Maddagiri into a Govt institution

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1) Berur school
2) Chickmagalur do
3) Chamarajpet (Bangalore)
4) Maddagiri

The marginally noted files show that the question of converting a Hindu School at a place where there is already a Mission school has been approached with caution and when sufficient grounds existed, the Govt have ordered the conversion of the private (caste) Girls schools into Govt Institutions

There is no definite policy enunciated anywhere by Govt What the I.G of Edn and the Mission Authorities say as a policy of Govt hitherto followed viz that Govt schools should not be started in places where there is already a Mission school is understood to be the policy followed in practice here (in Mysore) after that of the Govt of India Perhaps this was chiefly due to the views of the late Education Secretary (now Inspector General

Besides the files referred to above there is nothing in this Office relating to the general question raised by Rev Rees

The files regarding the conversion of the schools at Anekal, Nandva and Kyatsandra will be called for from the I G if ordered

D M

Kes
2/5/04

Please prepare a list of all the ~~aided~~ places where there are both Govt. & Mission "Girls" Schools, showing when each was opened, whether the former (Govt Schools) were formed by the conversion of aided schools & the grant in aid given to the Mission schools. I wish also the files re each Govt school, if not already here, the papers may be obtained from the D of Pubs

4-5-04

The Inspr Genl of Schs was asked to furnish the above information required by the Dy. Secy (Vide G O No G 5866 & 28/5/04)

He has now submitted with his letter No 290/17 & the 11th July 04 two lists one showing the names of the Mission Schools at the following places with the dates on which they were opened and the other

Separate Note

From I Received 190

Secretary to the C ut of H H
the Maharaja of My
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To Inspl of Schs

Dated 22/6/04

Despatched

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General No 6431
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Enclosure No

This Office No G 5865 dated the 23rd May 1904 requesting to furnish certain informat regarding the Govt and Aided Mission Girls' Schools existin side by side at the marginally noted places

~~and subsequent reminder invariably noted~~

Has the honor to draw attention to the above and to request a very early reply thereto

1 Bangalore
2 Kolar
3 Shimoga
4 Tumkur
5 Arsikal
6 Kyatasandra
7 Chandya
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By Order,

for Secretary

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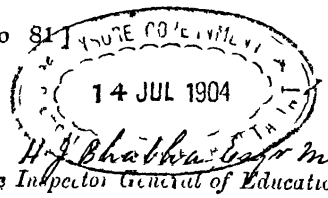

From H J Chubba Esqr ma
The Inspector General of Education
in Mysore

To B K Venkatarangachar Esq
Hy Secretary to the Govt of H
the Maharaja of M
Bangr

No 290/17 Genl & Rev Department

Dated 11 7 04

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Subject

Furnishing information regarding the Government aided Mission Girls' schools existing side by side in the same stations

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No 4674
Ed F 13 of 1903-04 22/12/04

To the Rev D A Rees
Chairman and
General Superintendent
of the Wesleyan Mission
in Mysore

Sir

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In reply to your letter dated the 22nd ult. received 19th March 1904, addressed to the Director of Mysore requesting to be informed of the policy of the Government with regard to aided schools, I am directed to state as follows.

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to the Lt Gov of Tas

in Response with reference to
letter No
the correspondence ending with ~~his~~ 290 of the 11th July 1904
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By order

for Secretary

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Abstract of Current Papers

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References
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Ed 416
" 4058-60 dy 13/2/1904

Subject Heading

The Policy of Government with regard to aided Schools in the State

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	296	From the Insp.r Genl of Schs in Mysore No 290/17 dt the 11th July 1907 - Submits the information called for in D.r Lr No.	3	

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(Education)

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File No 13-1903-04

FILE HEADING

Policy of Govt with regard to aided Schools

From

The Rev Mr Rees, Genl Supdt of the Wesleyan Mission in Mysore

No 194 Dated 22/3/04 Received 26/3/04

~~Dy~~ No 3140 | Enclo ~~Spare Copies~~ | Serial No 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Requests to be favored with a Statement of the policy of the Mysore Govt with regard to aided Schools

NOTES AND ORDERS

In the above letter the Rev Mr Rees (for) protesting against the recent conversion of the Hindu Girls' School at Haddagere into a Govt institution ~~and~~ Requests to be informed of the policy of Govt with Regard to ~~Such~~ aided Schools

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2 The Dewan having called for a clear and full note regarding these Schools through the Ist Councillor, the I Gl of Edn was requested in this office No
2 G 5865 & 28/5/04 to submit a list of all the places in which Mission and Govt Girls' Schools exist side by side with together with the dates on which
a 3 each was opened. The I Gl has now with
(his letter No 296 dt 11/11/04)
3 submitted 2 statements showing 8 Stations in the State, where these Schools exist side by side An abstract is given below —

		Mission Schools	Govt Schools
1	Bangalore	11 Schools established between 1842 & 1900	1 Govt School 1 Aided School converted into Govt School on 1-1-1891.
2	Anekal	1 - on 1-1-1891	Govt School May 1892
3	Kolar -	1 on 1-7-99	Aided School Converted into a Govt one on 1-8-1892
4	Shimoga	3 of which one was opened on 1-8-1893 & 2 on 1-7-1897	Do — on 1-8-1893

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3	5)	Bhukmagalur	Hussum School. 2 (1895)	Govt School Hindu School converted into a Govt one on 1-6-1898
	6)	Tumkur	2 (one 1869 other 1868)	Empress Girls School converted into a Govt School 1-1-1891
	7)	Kyatasandara	1 (1897)	1- (1891)
	8)	Chandya-	1 (1891)	1 (1898)

4 Leaving out of account the District Head Quarters, with reference to which Govt have already decided that a Govt Girls' School is necessary (Vide G.O No 15455-6 Ed 416 dt 26/5/1898) and in regard to which Mr Rees has no objection, there are only 3 Taluk Head Quarters and one Village where there are both Govt and Hussum Schools

1 Anekal
2 Kyatasandara
3 Chandya
4 Chaddagere

Anekal Chaddagere

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The Schools at Anekal and Kyatasandra were first opened as Govt Schools and are not aided Schools converted into Govt ones The former was opened one year after, and the latter 6 years before, the opening of the Mussun Schools

5 In Channapatna and Haddagere, the Hindu Schools were converted into Govt ones when there were already Mussun Schools in them

6 In G.O No 8966 / ED 346 dt 2-2-00, the Govt have recognised that it is not sound policy to convert an aided School on Taluk Head Quarters or Villages into a Govt one for the mere Reason that some parents have Conscientious scruples to send their daughters to a Mussun School

7 In the case of Haddagere the Conversion was sanctioned not on the alleged aversion of certain parents to

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send their daughters to Mussun School but at the Reasonable request of an influential managing Committee who had built a house for the School at a cost of Rs 2,000 and had provided a fund of Rs 600 for its maintenance The 1st Councellor inspected the place and he was satisfied that there was sufficient room for 2 Schools and that the Conversion of the Hindu School would not in any way prejudice the Mussun School The Conversion of the Hindu School at Mandya was also made at the Request of the Managers, who were not able to conduct the School without Govt help

§ The recorded opinions of certain officers on the Subject are also quoted below —

(1) Mr Bhabha in his Docket

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Vide file re conversion of Chinnagalur School into Govt Institution

No 4390/253 dt 7/12/1896 stated that it is the ~~not sound~~ policy of Govt not to open a Govt School where an aided School already exists" Against this, the then Secretary and now 1st Councillor observed as follows —

"The policy may be all right as regards Boys' Schools The case of Girls' Schools is different"

(Vide note dt 18/2/1898)

do—

(1) Hon V P Madhava Rao's remarks

"No institutions deserve Govt patronage and help more than Girls' Schools in the present backward state of female education" (Vide his note dt 14/2/1898)

~~Vide~~ Ed F47-1896

(3) The Dewan's Remarks

"Girls' Schools are entitled to be treated on principles more than ~~that~~ those which apply to Boys Schools The Course of studies &c.

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to be regulated in accordance with the prevailing ideas of what is considered suitable to such girls in the present condition of the communities which send them.

(Vide note dt 6-12-03)

de file re the version of the Idaqur School a Govt In-stitution

~~The Mission is an organized body while the towns people are disorganized individuals and so the Schools opened by the latter have not the Vitality of those opened by the Mission The Hindu Schools are therefore in need of Govt help more than the Mission Schools~~

~~The teaching in the Mission Schools will not be suitable to Hindu Girls and so separate School for the latter may be necessary.~~

xg The Rev Mr Rees had addressed a D O to the 1st Councillor on the

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de file re conversion of Madrassi. b' School into Govt Institution

on the Subject to which a D^O reply was sent stating that the Mission have no consent for Complaint. The 1st Councillor is of opinion that the contention of the Mission agn the conversion of Hindu Schools into Govt Schools" Should not on prin ciple, be accepted The Dewan has also agreed to the same

10 The ~~prayer~~ Request of Mr Rees is Subd for orders

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25/7/04

27/7/04

// Lay before the 1st Councillor

B K Venkata Varada Iyengar
27/7/1904

12— If an answer at all is requir
my only answer would be that, while fully
appreciating missionary efforts and Go
~~only at the same time~~ Govt feel
~~called upon to take steps to~~
~~misunderstanding~~ justified in refusing

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ed it as necessary that one Government girls-school should be provided

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1 re establish State Institutions wherever called for in public interest — C S 28-7-04

2 Submitted to the Dewan Sahib for orders B K Venkata Varada Iyengar 28/7/1904

3 505 27/7/04 678 I would add that where there is absence of a spirit of competition or rivalry with an established aided institution, for reserve bottoms Govt. should be chary of dealing with such applications on their merits. Submit, in draft, the body of the news through the principles already recorded — & now noted P N K 30 VII 04

4 Draft-approved 1/8/1904

5 Draft Sealed

6 Draft Submitted for approval B K Venkata Varada Iyengar 5/8/1904

7 The Dewan has approved the draft (V.G.D. 5/8/04 his initials thereon)

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17 To The Rev Wm D A Rees
No 4674 of the 2nd December 1904-
~~No 4674 of the 2~~ Declares the
policy of Govt with regard to
the opening of Govt Schools
in places where aided Schools
already exist-
Endorsement to the Insp^r Genl
of Sch^s No 4814 of the 6th
December 1904 Forwards Copy
of Sl No 3.

as necessary that one Government Girls' School should be provi-

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Wesleyan Mission,
Bangalore City,
22nd March, 1904.

~~P.N. Krishnamurti, K.C.S.I~~
~~Dewan of Mysore~~

No 194 22/3/04 From the Rev D A Rees, Chairman and General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in India

I have the honour to draw your attention to the recent conversion of the aided Arya Balika Patasala at Madgiri into a Government nstitution, and to ask that you will kindly favour me with a definite statement of the policy of the Mysore Government in reference to Aided Schools.

It is well known that the Wesleyan Mission has been the pioneer of Female Education in this State, and has today no less than 46 institutions imparting education to girls of all castes in various parts of the Province For many years, we stood absolutely alone in this difficult enterprise, and then, to our great joy, Government began to establish schools. In every case such schools were planted where no Mission Girls' Schools existed.

Still more recently, another class of Girls' Schools has come into existence, namely, Non-missionary Schools, originated by private individuals It should be carefully noted that with scrcely an exception, such schools have sprung up only in places where mission schools were already established.

So long as Government started schools in places where no school already existed, (and even now such places are almost numberless), and so long as non-missionary schools, started in places where mission schools existed, were placed on the same footing as our schools in the matter of grants-in-aid, we had nothing to complain of. But with scarcely an exception, after a very short time, the originators of these non-missionary schools have appealed to Government to take over their schools, and in spite of protests, their requests have been complied with. This is the history of the Government Girls' Schools in Bangalore City, Tumkur, Shimoga and Chikmagalur.

After the conversion of the Chikmagalur school, Government, in it proceedings 15455.56/Ed 416 of 26th May, 1898, implied that it regarded it as necessary that one Government Girls' School should be prov-

at each of the District Head-quarters It was however clearly understood that in taluq and other towns and villages where aided mission schools existed,none but aided schools should be recognised,and accordingly,applications for taking over these schools have been repeatedly refused by the Inspector General of Education

It appears as though Government were now receding from this position also,as in Anekal,Mandya,Kyatsundra,and lastly in the case of Madgiri,they have converted such schools into Government institutions

In the case of Madgiri,the Mission School has been in existence since 1888 The Arya Balika Patasala was started some years later Repeated applications have been made to the Inspector General of Education to make the school a Government one,but the applications have been consistently refused Now without any reference to us,and in the face of all past refusals,the change has been effected It will probably be said that there is sufficient room for two girls' schools in the town of Madgiri,and to this I would agree,if they are two aided schools,but to place a Government school,with the prestige which its official connection gives it,and the funds which it has to draw from,by the side of an aided school in such a small place is a sure way to discourage and cripple the aided school

The method pursued in Madgiri and elsewhere can only have one result,namely to encourage the starting of rival schools wherever mission schools exist,with a view that Government should take them over sooner or later,and to discourage us in that department of work, in which we have hitherto had such an honourable position,and in which we have done so much for the good of the State

It is an easy thing to collect a small sum by subscriptions,and start a private school in opposition to a Mission Girls' school,if the originators feel more or less certain,from the history of such schools,that Government will soone r or later take it over No provision is made for the permanent maintenance,supervision,and control of such a school,whereas in the case of Mission schools you have adequate guarantees for their maintenance and efficiency Yet the Government is giving the fullest encouragement to these mushroom growths, and discouraging us in our efforts I would respectfully submit that such a course is in direct opposition to the policy of the Government of India,

shall be obliged therefore,if you will favour me with a state-
of the policy of the Mysore Government on this queation,for the
rmation and future guidance of the Mission

I ha.e the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

D. A. Rees

Chairman & General Superintendent of
Wesleyan Mission in Mysore

Ed F 13-1903-04

The I Gl of Edn
Mysore

(No G 5865 Ea)
(d 23-5 04

Has the honor to request that he will be so good as to furnish the following information regarding the Govt and Aided Mission, Girls' Schools existing side by side at the hqrs usually noted places at an early date

1) What were the dates on which each of the above Mission Schools was opened?

2) Whether the Govt Schools were formed by the conversion of

Bangalore
Kolar
Shimoga
Chikmagalur
Tumkur
Anekal
Kyatasandra
Mandya

of private Hindu Schools
and if so, when was
each such School converted

3 The original papers,
if any, regarding the
formation of the Govt
Schools at ~~Shimoga~~,
~~Kolar~~, Anekal, Mandya
and Kyatasandara, should
also be forwarded

By order

for offg Secy
14/5/74

~~Diary No 295~~ ED F 13-1903-04

~~Edn Dept~~

~~No 290 Enclosures 2~~

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, 11th July 1904

From

JH J BHABHA, Esq, M A,
Inspector General of Education in Mysore,

Bangalore
No 290/17 Enclosures 2 dt 11/7/1904

To ~~B K Venkatavardiengar Esqr Offg Secretary to the Government of H H the Maharaja of Mysore General & Revenue Department~~

SIR,

With reference to your docket No 5865 dated 23rd May 1904 and reminder No 6431 dated 22nd June 1904 I have the honour to forward herewith two statements marked A & B, the former giving the names of all mission schools at the eight stations named together with the dates on which they were opened, the latter giving the names of nine Government Girls' schools at the same stations, and the dates when six of them were formed by the conversion of private, or aided schools into Government institutions The remaining three schools were Government schools from the commencement

2 The original papers regarding the formation of the Government Girls school at Mandy are in the Secretariat in the file relating to Order No $\frac{11732-3}{\text{Ed } 377}$ dated 16th April 1896

3 There are no original papers in this office

Relating to the formation of the Government Girls' Schools at Anekal and Kyatasandra

With regard to the Anekal School the Deputy Inspector of Bangalore informs that "for two years from 1890 to 1892 the London Mission Aided Girls' School at Anekal was in a languishing condition The Government Boys' School at Anekal which had been thrown open to Girls also since its start in 1882 showed a large number of girls on its rolls in 1891 and at the suggestion of the European Deputy Commissioner and the subordinate European officers, these girls were formed into a separate class. This class was removed in 1892 into a separate building solely because the Boys' School was full to overflowing The origin of the Government Girls' School at Kyatasandra was somewhat similar A boys' and a girls' school maintained by the mission existed for a long time by the side of the Govt Boys' School at Kyatasandra The mission schools became unpopular, as one of the missionaries was indiscreet enough to enter the local temple in which the Government Boys' School was held with shoes on Most of the parents withdrew their girls from the mission Girls' School and sent them to the Government Boys

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School When ther number was large enough to form a separate Girls' School, a Government Girls' School was sanctioned by me in my Capacity of Education Secretary from the Village School Fund in may 1892

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

H.H. Shabha
Inspector General

Relating to the formation of the Government
Girls' Schools at Auckland and ~~Christchurch~~

Name of Mission Girls' School (A)	Date on which it was opened
Bangalore (Kannada Girls' Schools)	
Wesleyan Mission Girls' School, Siddikatte	1st December 188
Do Do Nagartapete	in 1860
Do Do Boarding School	in 1860
Do Do Jnavalli	18th Septr 1891
Do Do Chamarajpete	1 June 1898
Do Do Basavangudi Extension	1 July 1900
London Mission Home, Bangalore	in 1842
Do Girls' School, Cubbonpete	
Do Do Kurubarpete	1st July 1889
Do Do Aralepete	
Do Do Hosapete	
Anekal	
London Mission Girls' School, Anekal	1st Septr 1891
Kolar	
Mr E Orphanage Kan Girls' School, Kolar	1st July 1899
Shimoga	
Wesleyan Mission Peta Girls school, Shimoga	1st August 189
Roman Catholic Girls School, Shimoga	1st July 1897
Wesleyan Mission Girls' School, Sigehatti — do	1st July 1897
Chikmagalur	
Wesleyan Mission Girls' School, Chikmagalur	in 1875
Do Branch Girls School "	in 1895
Tumkur	
Wesleyan Mission Petta Girls' School, Tumkur	October 1869
Do Fort Do	July 1868
Kyatsandra	
Wesleyan Mission Girls' School, Kyatsandra	1 July 1897
Mandya	
Wesleyan Mission Girls' School, Mandya	1 Septr 1891

Bangalore
2nd July 1901

H J Bhabha
Inspector General

Station	School	When converted to a Government School.	
Bangalore	Aryabalika Pathasala	A private school was taken over by Government from 1st January 1891	C. No. 146-49 dated 29th December 1890
	Govt. Girls' School	It was from the commencement a Govt. institution	
Kolar	Govt. Kan. Girls' School	A grant-in-aid School was converted to a Govt. School from 1st August 1892	C. No. 71-4 dated 9th August 1892
Tumkur	Empress Girls' School	Converted to a Govt. Girls' School from 1st January 1891	C. No. 142-5 dated 29th December 1890
Shimoga	Govt. Girls' School	The Hindu Balika Pathasala was converted to a Govt. School from 1st Augt. 1893	C No. 38-41 dated 24th August 1893
Chikmagalur	Govt. Girls' School	Hindu Girls' School converted to a Govt. School from 1st June 1898	Govt. Order No. 15455-6 / Ed 416 dated 26th May 1898
Mandya	Do.	Do. Converted to a Govt. School from 1st August 1898	Govt. Order No. 11732-3 / Ed 377 dated 16th April 1896
Anekal	Do.	Established in May 1892	Education Secys docket No. 977 of 9/5/92 to the Comptroller & No. 984/61 to the Dy Insp., Bangalore
Kyatasandra	Do.	Established from 1st Novr. 1891	Education Secys No. 4575/926 of 28/10/1891 to the Comptroller & 4588/48 to the Dy Insp., Tumkur

To

The Rev D A Rees, Chairman and General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in Mysore

No 4674/Ed F 13 of 1903-04 Dated 2nd December 1904

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B K Venkata Varada Iyengar

Secretary Co

(C)r No 4814/Id 13-04 dated 6th December 1904

To the Inspector General of Education in Mysore with reference to correspondence ending with his letter No 290/17 dated the 11th July 1904

By Order

H. Ramaiya

Assistant Secretary

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GENERAL AND REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Local Fund & Sanitary (Education)

DECEMBER

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3	From the Inspector General of Education in Mysore No 290—17, dated the 11th July 1904 Submits the information called for in Serial No 2		2
4	To the Reverend D A Rees No 4674 dated the 2nd December 1904 Declares the policy of Government with regard to the opening of Government Schools in places where Aided Schools already exist		
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Policy of Government with regard to Aided Schools

From the Reverend Mr Rees General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in Mysore No 194 dated 22nd March 1904

Requests to be favored with a statement of the policy of the Mysore Government with regard to Aided Schools

1 In the above letter the Revd Mr Rees after protesting against the recent conversion of the Hindu Girls' School at Maddagiri into a Government institution requests to be informed of the policy of Government with regard to Aided Schools

2 The Dewan having called for a clear and full note regarding these schools through the 1st Councillor the Inspector General of Education was requested in this office No G 5865, dated 28th May 1904 to submit a list of all the places in which Mission and Government Girls Schools exist side by side together with the dates on which each was opened

3 The Inspector General has now with his letter No 290 17 dated 11th July 1904, submitted 2 statements showing 8 Stations in the State, where these schools exist side by side An abstract is given below —

	Mission Schools	Government Schools
1 Bangalore	11 schools established between 1842 & 1900	1 Government School 1 Aided School converted into Government School on 1st January 1891
2 Anekal	1 on 1 1 91	Government School, May 1892
3 Kolar	1 on 1 7 99	Hindu School converted into a Government one on 1 8 92
4 Shimoga	3 of which one was opened on 1 8 93 & 2 on 1 7 97	Hindu School converted into a Government one on 1 8 93
5 Chikmagalur	2 (1895)	Hindu School converted into a Government one on 1 6 98
6 Tumkur	2 (one 1869 other 1868)	Empress Girls School converted into a Government School 1 1 91
7 Kyatasandra	1 (1897)	1 (1891)
8 Mandya	1 (1891)	1 (1898)

4 Leaving out of account the District Head quarters with reference to which Government have already decided that a Government Girls' School is necessary (*vide* G O No 1540 6—Ed 416, dated 26th May 1898) and in regard to which Mr Rees has no objection there are only three including Maddagiri Taluk Head quarters and one village where there are both Government and Mission Schools —

1 Anekal
2 Kyatasandra
3 Mandya
4 Maddagiri

The schools at Anekal and Kyatasandra were first opened as Government Schools and are not Aided Schools converted into Government ones The former was opened one year after, and the latter 6 years before, the opening of the Mission Schools

5 In Mandya and Maddagiri the Hindu Schools were converted into Government ones when there were already Mission Schools in them

6. In G. O No 8966—Ed 346, dated 2nd February 1900, the Government have recognised that it is not sound policy to convert an Aided School in Taluk Head quarters or villages into a Government one for the mere reason *that some parents have conscientious scruples to send their daughters to a Mission School*

7 In the case of Maddagiri the conversion was sanctioned, not on the alleged aversion of certain parents to send their daughters to Mission School but at the request of an influential Managing Committee who had built a house for the school at a cost of Rs 2,000, and had provided a fund of Rs 600 for its maintenance The 1st Councillor inspected the place and he was satisfied that there was sufficient room for 2 schools and that the conversion of the Hindu School would not in any way prejudice the Mission School The conversion of the Hindu School at Mandya was also sanctioned at the request of the Managers who were not able conduct the school without Government help

8 The recorded opinions of certain officers on the subject are also quoted below —

(1) Mr Bhabha in his docket No *4390—203 dated 9th December 1896 stated that it is the policy of Government not to open a Government School where an Aided School already exists Against this the then Secretary and now 1st Councillor observed as follows —

*F *de re* file the conversion of the Chikmagalur Girl School into a Government Institution

'The policy may be all right as regards Boys' School The case of Girls Schools is different ' (*Vide* note dated 18th February 1898)

*I *d* file *re* the conversion of the Chikmagalur Girls School into a Government Institution

Mr V P Madhava Rao's remarks

No institutions deserve Government patronage and help more liberal than Girls Schools in the present backward state of female education (*Vide* his note* dated 18th February 1898)

*Education F 47 1896

( ) The Dewan's remarks

Girls Schools are entitled to be treated on principles more than those which apply to Boys Schools. The course of studies has to be regulated in accordance with the prevailing ideas of what is considered suitable to such girls in the present condition of the communities which send them' (Vide* note dated 6th December 1903)

*F *id* file *re* the conversion of the Maddagiri Girls School into Government Institution

9 The Revd Mr Rees had addressed a D O to the 1st Councillor on the subject to which a D O reply was sent 'stating that the Mission have no cause for complaint The 1st Councillor is of opinion that the contention of the Mission against the conversion of Hindu Schools into Government Schools should not on principle, be accepted The Dewan has also agreed to the same

*F *del* file *re* the conversion of the Maddagiri Girls School into a Government Institution

10 The present request of Mr Rees is submitted for orders

K S R S M J
25 7 04

H RAMAIYA,
27 7 04

B K VENKATA VARADA IYENGAR
27 7 04

11 Lay before the 1st Councillor

12 If an answer is at all required my only answer would be that while fully appreciating Missionary efforts Government do not feel justified in refusing to establish State Institutions wherever called for in public interests

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28 7 04

13 Submitted to the Dewan Saib for orders

B K VENKATA VARADA IYENGAR
28 7-04

14 I would add that where there is absence of a spirit of competition or rivalry with an established aided institution, Government reserve to themselves the liberty of dealing with such applications on their merits

Submit draft embodying the views and principles already recorded and now noted

P N K
30 7-04

15 Draft accordingly

B K V
1 8 04

Draft submitted

K S R S M J
4 8 04

17 Draft submitted for approval

B K VENKATA VARADA IYENGAR
5 8 04

18 The Dewan has approved of the revised draft (*vide* his initials thereon)

19 To the Revd D A Rees No 4674 dated the 2nd December 1904

Declares the policy of Government with regard to the opening of |Government Schools in places ıere Aided Schools already exist

Endorsement to the Inspector General of Education No 4814, dated the 6th December 1904

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Education dated December 1904

The Policy of Government with regard to Aided Schools in the State

FILE No 13 of 1903 04

From the Rev D J Rice Esq Chairman and General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in Mysore Letter No 191 dated 22nd March 1904

Serial No 1

I have the honor to draw your attention to the recent conversion of the Aided Arya Balika Pathasala at Maddagiri into a Government Institution and to ask that you will kindly favor me with a definite statement of the policy of the Mysore Government in reference to Aided Schools

It is well known that the Wesleyan Mission has been the pioneer of Female Education in this State and has to day no less than 46 institutions imparting education to girls of all castes in various parts of the Province For many years we stood absolutely alone in this difficult enterprise and then to our great joy, Government began to establish schools In every case such schools were planted where no Mission Girls Schools existed

Still more recently another class of Girls Schools has come into existence namely, non Missionary Schools originated by private individuals It should be carefully noted that with scarcely an exception such schools have sprung up only in places where Mission Schools were already established

So long as Government started schools in places where no school already existed (and even now such places are almost numberless) and so long as non Missionary Schools started in places where Mission Schools existed were placed on the same footing as our schools in the matter of grants in aid, we had nothing to complain of But with scarcely an exception after a very short time the originators of these non Missionary Schools have appealed to Government to take over their schools, and in spite of protests their requests have been complied with This is the history of the Government Girls Schools in Bangalore City, Tumkur, Shimoga and Chikmagalur

After the conversion of the Chikmagalur School Government in its Proceedings No 15405 56—F1 416 of 26th May 1898 implied that it regarded it as necessary that one Government Girls School should be provided at each of the District Head quarters It was however clearly understood that in taluk and other towns and villages where Aided Mission Schools existed none but Aided Schools should be recognised, and accordingly applications for taking over these schools have been repeatedly refused by the Inspector General of Education

It appears as though Government were now receding from this position also as in Anekal, Mandya, Kyatandra and lastly in the case of Maddagiri, they have converted such schools into Government Institutions

In the case of Maddagiri the Mission School has been in existence since 1888 The Arya Balika Pathasala was started some years later Repeated applications have been made to the Inspector General of Education to make the school a Government one but the applications have been consistently refused Now without any reference to us and in the face of all past refusals, the change has been effected It will probably be said that there is sufficient room for two Girls' Schools in the town of Maddagiri and to this I would agree if they are two Aided Schools, but to place a Government School with the prestige which its official connection gives it and the funds which it has to draw from by the side of an Aided School in such a small place is a sure way to discourage and cripple the Aided School

The method pursued in Maddagiri and elsewhere can only have one result, namely to encourage the starting of rival schools wherever Mission Schools exist with a view that Government should take them over sooner or later and to discourage us in that department of work in which we have hitherto had such an honorable position, and in which we have done so much for the good of the State

It is an easy thing to collect a small sum by subscriptions and start a private school in opposition to a Mission Girls' School if the originators feel more or less certain from the history of such schools that Government will sooner or later take it over No provision is made for the permanent maintenance supervision and control of such a school, whereas in the case of Mission Schools you have adequate guarantees for their maintenance and efficiency Yet the Government is giving the fullest encouragement to these mushroom growths and discouraging us in our efforts I would respectfully submit that such a course is in direct opposition to the policy of the Government of India

I shall be obliged therefore if you will favor me with a statement of the policy of the Mysore Government on this question for the information and future guidance of the Mission

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To the Inspector General of Education in Mysore No G 1586 Ed dated 23rd May 1904

Has the honor to request that he will be so good as to furnish the following information regarding the Government and Aided Mission Girls Schools existing side by side at the marginally noted places at an early date **Serial No 2**

1 Bangalore
2 Kolar
3 Chikballapur
4 Chikballapur
5 Tumkur
6 Anekal
7 Kyatsandra
8 Mandya

(1) What were the dates on which each of the above Mission Schools was opened?

(2) Whether the Government Schools were formed by the conversion of private Hindu Schools and, if so when was each such school converted

(3) The original papers, if any regarding the formation of the Government Schools at Anekal, Mandya and Kyatsandra, should also be forwarded

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From H J Habbu Esq M A Inspector General of Education in Mysore Bangalore No 290—17 Enclosures 2 dated 11th July 1904

With reference to your docket No 5865 dated the 23rd May 1904, and reminder No 6431, dated 22nd June 1904 I have the honor to forward herewith two statements marked A and B the former giving the names of all Mission Schools at the eight stations named together with the dates on which they were opened the latter giving the names of nine Government Girls' Schools at the same stations, and the dates when six of them were formed by the conversion of private or Aided Schools into Government Institutions The remaining three schools were Government Schools from the commencement **Serial No 3**

2 The original papers regarding the formation of the Government Girls School at Mandya are in the Secretariat in the file relating to Order No 11732 3—Ed 377, dated 16th April 1896

3 There are no original papers in this office relating to the formation of the Government Girls Schools at Anekal and Kyatasandra With regard to the Anekal School the Deputy Inspector of Bangalore informs that for two years from 1890 to 1892 the London Mission Aided Girls School at Anekal was in a languishing condition The Government Boys School at Anekal which had been thrown open to girls also since its start in 1882 showed a large number of girls on its rolls in 1891 and at the suggestion of the European Deputy Commissioner and the subordinate European Officers these girls were formed into a separate class The class was removed in 1892 into a separate building solely because the Boys School was full to overflowing The origin of the Government Girls School at Kyatsandra was somewhat similar A Boys' and a Girls school maintained by the Mission existed for a long time by the side of the Government Boys School at Kyatsandra The Mission Schools became unpopular as one of the Missionaries was indiscreet enough to enter the local temple in which the Government Boys School was held with shoes on Most of the parents withdrew their girls from the Mission Girls School and sent them to the Government Boys School When their number was large enough to form a separate Girls School, a Government Girls School was sanctioned by me in my capacity of Education Secretary from the Village School Fund in May 1892

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Name of Mission Girls School	Date on which it was opened
BANGALORE (KANNADA GIRLS SCHOOLS)	
Wesleyan Mission Girls School Siddikatte	1st December 1887
Nagartapete	In 1860
Boarding School	In 1860
Mavalli	1st September 1891
Chamrajpete	1st June 1898
Basavangudi Extension	1st July 1900
London Mission Home Bangalore	In 1842
Girls School Cubbonpete	1st July 1889
Kurubarpete	
Aralepete	
Hosapete	
ANEKAL	
London Mission Girls School Anekal	1st September 1891
KOLAR	
M E Orphanage Kannada Girls School Kolar	1st July 1899
SHIMOGA	
Wesleyan Mission Petta Girls School Shimoga	1st August 1893
Roman Catholic Girls School	1st July 1897
Wesleyan Mission Girls School Sigehatti Shimoga	1st July 1897
CHIKMAGALUR	
Wesleyan Mission Girls School Chikmagalur	In 1879
Branch Girls School	In 1895
TUMKUR	
Wesleyan Mission Petta Girls School Tumkur	October 1869
Fort	July 1868
KYATSANDRA	
Wesleyan Mission Girls School Kyatsandra	1st July 1897
MANDYA	
Wesleyan Mission Girls School Mandya	1st September 1891

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Station.	School	When converted to a Government School	Authority
Bangalore	Aryabalika Pathasala	A private school was taken over by Government from 1st January 1891	C No 1464 dated 29th December 1890
	Government Girls School	It was from the commencement a Government institution	
Kolar	Government Kannada Girls School	A grant in aid school was converted into a Government School from 1st August 1892	C No 714 dated 9th August 1889
Tumkur	Empress Girls School	Converted into a Government Girls School from 1st January 1891	C No 1425 dated 29th December 1890
Shimoga	Government Girls School	The Hindu Balika Pathasala was converted into a Government School from 1st August 1893	C No 3841 dated 24th August 1893
Chikmagalur	Do	Hindu Girls School converted into a Government School from 1st June 1898	Government Order No 1546 Ed 416 dated 26th May 1898
Mardya	Do	converted into a Government Girls School from 1st August 1898	Government Order No 11732-3—Ed 3/7 dated 16th April 1896
Anekal	Do	Established in May 1892	Education Secretary's docket No 9/—99 of 9th May 189 to the Comptroller and No 9 4—61 to the Deputy Inspector Bangalore
Kyatsandra	Do	Established from 1st November 1891	Education Secretary's No 4/5—926 of 8th October 1891 to the Comptroller and 4588-48 to the Deputy Inspector Tumkur

To the Rev D A R s Chairman and General Superintendent of the Wesleyan Mission in Mysore No 4674—Ed F 13 of 1903 04 dated 2nd December 1904

In reply to your letter dated the 22nd March 1904 addressed to the Dewan of Mysore requesting to be informed of the policy of the Government with regard to Aided Schools I am directed to state as follows — Serial No

2 In the case of Boys Schools the policy of the Government is generally not to open a Government School where an Aided School may already exist which is capable of meeting sufficiently the needs of the place Where sufficient assurances exist of a private school being capable of efficiently meeting the educational needs of a place where the Government may be maintaining an institution of their own they will even be prepared to amalgamate it with the Aided School under sufficient safeguards

3 The same course cannot however be adopted in the case of Girls' Schools which may deserve Government help and patronage in the present state of female education and should be treated on principles different from those which apply to Boys Schools The course of studies has also to be regulated in accordance with the prevailing ideas of what is considered suitable to the girls in the present condition of the communities which send them to schools The Government while fully appreciating the Missionary efforts in the matter of education, consider that they will not be justified in refusing to establish State institutions wherever called for in public interests In such circumstances they reserve to themselves the liberty of dealing with each application on its own merits

Endorsement to the Inspector General of Education in Mysore

No 4814—Ed 13 04 dated 6th December 1904

Forwards copy of Serial No 4 with reference to correspondence ending with his letter No 290—17, dated the 11th July 1904